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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Applicants are in receipt of the Office Action dated February 24, 2005 of the above-identified application.

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicants provisionally elect Group I, claims 1, 2, and 7-9, without traverse. The present election is made solely to comply with the Office Action and should not be construed as a surrender of any subject matter of the application. Applicants reserve the right to file divisional application(s) on the non-elected claims.

It is respectfully submitted that the subject application is in condition for examination and allowance. Early and favorable action is requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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